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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of	)	
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Serial No. 10/762,027	)	Group Art Unit: 1621
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Filed January 21, 2004	)	Examiner M. L. Shippen
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METHOD OF PURIFYING PHENOL	)	September 20, 2005
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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated September 6, 2005, please enter the following remarks.

**REMARKS**

In response to Examiner's requirement of restriction under 35 U.S.C. §121, Applicants elect, without traverse, Group I, Claims 1-27, for prosecution on the merits.

Applicants reserve the right to file divisional applications or take such other action as deemed necessary with respect to the non-elected groups.

Respectfully submitted,

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